

Ford Motor Co. Completes Big Parts Contracts

Albert J. Browning, Ford Motor company vice president and director of purchases, announced today that final arrangements had been made with three additional California manufacturing firms for the production of 1,900,000 worth of parts for the 1949 Ford car.

The Cannon Electric Development company of Los Angeles has been awarded a contract to produce a million dollars worth of ornamental die castings representing two and a half million pieces a year, Mr. Browning said.

Present facilities of the Cannon company are being expanded to meet the greatly increased production schedules. Cannon is also setting up facilities to manufacture horns for Ford to be used on all vehicles assembled on the West Coast. This will mean an additional \$400,000 yearly for the Los Angeles firm.

A second contract has been awarded to Bendix Aviation Corporation, Pacific Division, for the manufacture of master brake cylinders for all vehicles to be assembled on the West Coast. This \$400,000 contract was concluded yesterday by H. H. Foster, assistant purchasing agent, Ford Motor Co., and Palmer Nichols, vice president of the North Hollywood Corp.

In addition a \$100,000 contract was given the R. H. Osbrink Manufacturing Co., also of Los Angeles, for the production of permanent mold aluminum castings for camshaft timing gears. The gear blanks will be shipped to the Rouge Plant in Dearborn for machining.

This is further proof of the confidence that Ford Motor Co. executives have in the ability of West Coast plants to compete with the heavily industrialized areas in the East, Browning said. The Osbrink Co. will produce 50 per cent of all 8-cylinder engine camshaft timing gear requirements for U. S. production. These contracts will raise the amount of money being spent by Ford for production parts on the West Coast to well above the 17 million dollar mark.

An additional three million is being spent at the California assembly plants for maintenance and repair materials, Browning said.

Among the major parts being purchased in the Western region are wheels, batteries, bumpers, chassis springs, cushion springs, tires, floor mats and paints and numerous machined parts.

J. P. Stanton, assistant purchasing agent, has been on the West Coast for the past two weeks working out final arrangements with the companies involved.

Browning also said that in addition to the regular purchasing agents who are part of the operations at each assembly plant, there are two special representatives of his office located permanently in California. Lou Disher and Elmer Dietrich have their office in the Los Angeles Lincoln-Mercury plant. The efforts of these men to obtain manufacturing contracts in the West are being augmented by periodic buying trips made by the heads of the various purchasing departments at Ford. Further negotiations are under way at present with West Coast firms, Browning added, that he hopes will result in contracts in the near future. This is another step in Ford Motor company's announced program to purchase 50 million dollars worth of goods and services in that region.

L.A. Chamber Picks Officers

B. O. Miller, head of W. I. Hollingsworth, realtors, as president led the slate of officers and directors elected for 1948 by the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, according to General Manager Harold W. Wright.

Earle V. Grover, president of the Apex Steel Corp., Ltd.; Neil Petree, president of Barker Brothers; A. J. Gock, chairman of the Board of Bank of America and Oscar A. Trippet of the law firm of Haight, Trippet & Syvertson, were elected vice presidents.

C. S. Beesemyer, 1947 Chamber president and an executive vice president of General Petroleum Corp., was elected treasurer.

Salvation Army Needs Clothing, Blankets, Quilts

Contributions of all kinds of men's women's and children's used clothing and shoes are being sought and urgently needed by the Salvation Army's Social Service department serving this area, in its post-Christmas effort to meet numerous calls for warmer garments due to seasonal weather changes. Bedding such as blankets and quilts are also in demand.

"We are hopeful that the post-Christmas period will see continued demonstrations of the same thoughtfulness and kindness which marked the pre-Christmas period," said Major Orlo Ellison, district manager of the Social Service department, yesterday.

"Men whom we are able to employ in our carefully directed work shops can repair and improve used clothing so that it is salable in Salvation Army stores at low prices within the reach of families in comparatively poor circumstances. Through the public's cooperation in contributing clothing and other salvage materials, we provide work for men who need work, in reprocessing the articles for use by families who need them. Often, too, we find garments which can be turned over at once for use by persons in special need who are unable to pay anything for them," said the major.

Salvation Army Red Shield trucks will call at your door for your discards for its self-sustaining Social Service department. Money is not asked for, but simply things which the housewife has no further use for which will help keep the department's doubly helpful program operating effectively the year round. Please telephone 1356.

Jobless To Get Cash

Cash in hand for the State's jobless instead of checks will be the new routine at Unemployment Insurance windows of the State Department of Employment, starting around March 1.

Officials of the Employment department made that statement today and revealed that the new payment plan has been under experimentation at the Long Beach office.

Not only will the jobless be saved a 10 or 15 cent fee charged by check cashing concerns, but also the State will be saved heavy bookkeeping expenses through elimination of the need for balancing accounts with canceled checks returned to the Department.

State Offers Vet Loans For Home And Farm Repair

Veterans purchasing property under the State of California's farm and home purchase plan may obtain loans for needed repairs and improvements for moderate additional payments, according to the State Department of Veterans Affairs.

The same low rate of interest—now 3 percent—which applies to the original purchase contract is applicable to supplementary loans. Veterans also may take advantage of low cost group coverage policies of fire insurance and home protection life insurance on the increased investment.

Loans may be made for repairs or reconditioning, correction of excessive deterioration, and for altering or remodeling property purchased under the state veterans' program, the department said.

Funds advanced for repairs will be repaid at the rate of \$1.50 per month for each \$100

of the amount borrowed. Costs of remodeling or altering will be amortized over the remaining period of the veteran's purchase contract. Special repayment terms may be obtained in the case of deterioration due to termites, dryrot or other conditions unknown at the time of purchase.

Full information regarding the advance loan program, as well as other features of the farm and home purchase plan may be obtained at any office of the Department of Veterans Affairs, county veterans service offices or community service centers. Department offices are located in Sacramento, San Francisco, Oakland, Los Angeles, San Diego, Long Beach, San Bernardino, Santa Barbara, Fresno and San Jose.

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NOW ALL WEEK-END SPECIALS EFFECTIVE THROUGH MONDAY!

- ### SAFEMWAY SAVINGS
- Peaches 29-oz. can 25¢
 - Pears 29-oz. can 35¢
 - Corn 12-oz. can 17¢
 - Golden Yams 10-oz. can 19¢
 - Corned Beef 12-oz. can 43¢
 - Beef Stew 30-oz. can 55¢
 - Seedless Raisins 2-lb. pkg. 23¢
 - Cottage Cheese 1-lb. ctn. 24¢
 - Su-Pur Soap 24-oz. pkg. 35¢
 - White Magic Bleach 1/2-gal., 2lb.; quart, 1lb. 38¢

- ### CHECK THESE VALUES
- Canned Lunch Meat (Roth's Black Hawk or Snack) 10-oz. can 47¢
 - Flour Kitchen Craft 10-lb. bag 1.05
 - Flour Harvest Blossom 10-lb. bag 89¢
 - CIGARETTES Per carton 1.39
 - All Popular Brands Per pack 1.5c
 - BABY FOOD CEREALS
 - Barley Cereal 8-oz. pkg. 15¢
 - Oatmeal 8-oz. pkg. 15¢
 - Dry Cereal 8-oz. pkg. 15¢
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 - Oatmeal 8-oz. pkg. 15¢
 - Pablum 13-oz. ctn. 45¢

SAFEMWAY'S NEW POLICY

Under a New Policy adopted by Safeway Stores, all week-end special prices will hereafter be effective through MONDAY.

Customers who in the past have found it difficult to shop on Saturday due to congested traffic conditions and parking difficulties, can now purchase all the week-end special values on a day when shopping conditions are much more favorable. Customers will also receive the benefit of any price reductions that may occur over the week-end.

We suggest that you make your own test by doing all your heavy shopping on MONDAY... when all the low prices are effective, when stocks have been replenished and the most ideal and pleasant shopping conditions prevail.

Lucky MONDAY is an ideal day to shop at SAFEMWAY!

Be Sure ... shop SAFEMWAY

SAFEMWAY MEAT VALUES

Safeway guarantees you'll like these top-grade meats.

- LAMB ROAST NECK & SHANK REMOVED 5-RIB SHOULDER lb. 59¢
- BOILING BEEF PLATE MEAT lb. 23¢
- PORK ROAST BLADE END OF LOIN 3-4-LBS. lb. 49¢
- BEEF ROAST STANDING RIB, 7-INCH CUT FULLY TRIMMED—OVEN READY lb. 59¢
- Ground Beef Packed in Visking Casing lb. 45¢
- Smoked Picnics Whole or full half lb. 49¢
- Stewing Hens Cut-up, pan ready lb. 69¢

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- GRAPEFRUIT SECTIONS Whole, Glengaire brand. 20-oz. can 15¢
- GRAPEFRUIT SECTIONS Broken, Highway brand. 20-oz. can 13¢
- Juices
- GRAPEFRUIT Treesweet Natural. (46-oz. can, 19¢) 3 18-oz. cans 25¢
- GRAPEFRUIT Townhouse Natural. (46-oz. can, 19¢) 18-oz. can 8¢
- ORANGE Full O'Gold Natural. (46-oz. can, 26¢) 18-oz. can 10¢
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(WE ARE COOPERATING)

Featuring Fancy and Extra Fancy Reds from Washington State's famous orchards. Buy an extra supply this week while plentiful. You'll enjoy their crisp, juicy, wonderful flavor.

- Winesap DEEP RED, MEDIUM SIZE POPULAR ALL PURPOSE APPLE lb. 7 1/2¢
- Delicious DARK RED, LARGE SIZE EXCELLENT EATING lb. 9¢
- Rome Beauty LARGE SIZE FINE FOR BAKING lb. 7 1/2¢

- ### CANNED FRUIT
- Applesauce Redwood, Empire 2 20-oz. cans 27¢
 - Applesauce V B 2 20-oz. cans 35¢
 - Peaches Castle Crest (Choice halves, yellow cling) 29-oz. can 25¢
 - CANNED JUICES
 - Tomato Juice Libby's 18-oz. can 11¢
 - Tomato Juice Sunny Down 3 18-oz. cans 28¢
 - JELLY and SYRUPS
 - Grape Jelly Welch's 1-lb. jar 22¢
 - Syrup Log Cabin 12-oz. bot. 25¢
- ### CANNED VEGETABLES
- Veg-All Larsen's 16-oz. can 15¢
 - Corn Highway (Extra-standard, vacuum packed, whole kernel) 12-oz. can 16¢
 - Golden Corn Highway (Extra standard, cream style) 20-oz. can 17¢
 - Corn Country Home (Cream style, golden bantam) 20-oz. can 18¢
 - MARGARINE
 - Sunnybank lb. carton 39¢
 - Allsweet lb. carton 40¢
 - Blue Bonnet lb. carton 39¢
 - Delrich lb. carton 43¢
 - Parkay lb. carton 39¢
 - Durkee's lb. carton 37¢

- ### UNCOOKED CEREALS
- Cream of Wheat Regular 14-oz. pkg. 17¢
 - Cream of Wheat Quick 14-oz. pkg. 17¢
 - Cream of Rice 18-oz. pkg. 25¢
 - Wheat Hearts Sperry 28-oz. pkg. 26¢
 - Farina Pillsbury 28-oz. pkg. 26¢
 - Dinamite Cereal Blue 24-oz. pkg. 24¢
 - Malto-Meal 24-oz. pkg. 28¢
 - Wheat Germ Fisher's 1 1/4-lb. pkg. 27¢
 - Roman Meal 30-oz. pkg. 31¢
 - Whole Wheat Cereal 1-lb. pkg. 22¢
 - Wheat Meal Zoom 24-oz. pkg. 26¢
 - Wheat Meal Grape Nuts 24-oz. pkg. 26¢
- ### BREAKFAST GEMS FRESH GRADE A, EGGS
- Large Size White or Brown Doz. 69¢
- ### COFFEE
- Airway Coffee 1-lb. pkg. 40¢
 - Edwards Coffee Drip Regular 1-lb. Pulverized can 49¢
 - Nob Hill Coffee (Reg. or Drip, 2-lb. can, 97¢) Ground 1-lb. to Order pkg. 43¢

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January 15, 16, 17 Only

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- COCONUT CAKE, 2-layer 89c each (Regularly 98c each) half 45c

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